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4 NEYMAN MAKSIM,  
5 Plaintiff,  
6 v.  
7 DR. VIRK, et al.,  
8 Defendants.

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10 Case No. 14-cv-05505-JST (PR)  
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13 **ORDER OF TRANSFER**

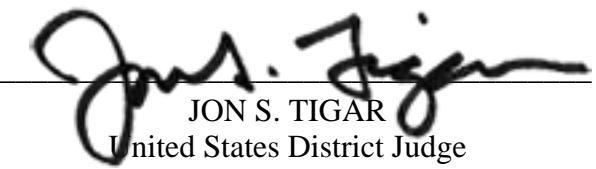
14 Plaintiff Neyman Maksim, a state prisoner currently incarcerated at Valley State Prison  
15 (VSP) filed a pro se civil rights complaint under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 complaining that VSP staff  
16 have denied him needed patella replacement.

17 The acts complained of in his complaint occurred at VSP, located in Madera County which  
18 lies in the Eastern District of California. Venue, therefore, properly lies in the Eastern District and  
not in this one. See 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b).

19 Accordingly, in the interest of justice and pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a), this action is  
20 TRANSFERRED to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California. The  
21 Clerk of the Court shall transfer the case forthwith.

22 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

23 Dated: December 24, 2014

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26 JON S. TIGAR  
27 United States District Judge  
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